BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 97-214-C - ORDER NO. 97-853

OCTOBER 7, 1997

IN RE: Application of Lightcom International, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Operate as a Reseller of Interexchange Telecommunications Services within the State of South Carolina.

) ORDER
) GRANTING
) EXTENSION OF
) TIME TO

) PREFILE) TESTIMONY

This matter came before the Commission by the request of the Lightcom International, Inc. ("Lightcom" or the "Applicant"), for an extension of time in which to prefile testimony in the above referenced Docket. By Order No. 97-656, dated August 4, 1997, this Commission established prefiling deadlines in this Docket.

By its request, the Applicant requests until September 26, 1997, in which to prefile its testimony. In support of its request, Lightcom states that unexpected scheduling problems have prevented it from preparing and filing the testimony. Lightcom also offers that no party will be unduly burdened by the extension and that the extension will not cause delay in the proceedings.

Upon consideration of this matter, the Commission concludes and so finds that the request of the Applicant for an extension of time in which to prefile the testimony of its witness should be granted. The Commission does not believe that the extension will cause prejudice or undue hardship to any other party. The

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Commission hereby grants the Applicant the requested extension in which to prefile testimony in this Docket.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Chairman

ATTEST:

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Executive Director

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